

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

(JOINT INVENTORS)

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This is an original declaration.

INVENTOR IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION

PORTABLE DYNAMIC POSITIONING SYSTEM WITH SELF-CONTAINED

DIESEL HYDRAULIC THRUSTERS

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification for which is attached hereto.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information

- that is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

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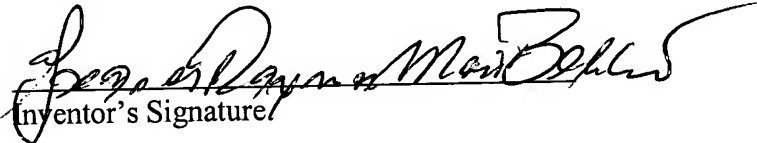
DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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APPOINTMENT OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

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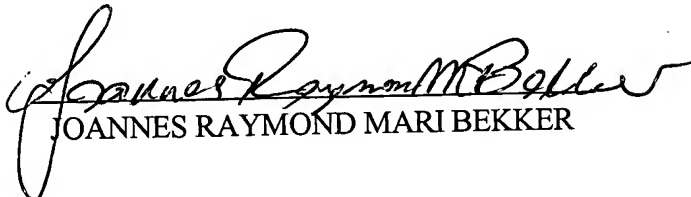
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